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NEW YORK.—Rooms 6 and 7, Tribune Building, 7th St. McAdams, Manager.
CINCINNATI.—North-east corner Fourth and Race Sts., Commercial Building, 6th St. McAdams, Manager.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—No. 444 Fourteenth St. opposite Hotel House, O. C. Steady, Manager.
CINCINNATI.—Club Room, 5 Grand Pacific Hotel, Edgar L. Winkelman, Manager.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. 2, '84.

PICKED UP.

ST. W. C. T. U. elect officers to-day.
ST. CECILIA fair closes to-day with a grand auction.

COMPANY A and Battery A elect officers this evening.
The Louisville Bulletin becomes a Sunday paper Jan. 6.

JEFFERSON COURT holds a festival to-night in Dyer's Hall.
FARLAND celebrated the New Year with turkey shooting.

The bank statements put down Exposition stock as worth \$100,000,000.
The Blue Wing Socials had a lively ball at Phoenix Hall last night.

PHOENIX HALL, Linderkrans and Wedekind Halls had New Year balls.
The fountains in the Court-house yard were started to play for the first time yesterday.

The Chateau d'Alps give a candy pulling at the Southern Business College rooms, Friday, from 4 to 10 P. M.

The Alpenrosen (Rose of the Alps) Singing Society celebrated their fifth anniversary at Lederkrans Hall last night.

The Sinking Fund receipts for December were \$30,105, and \$300,033 for the year. This is an increase over last year.

REV. DR. J. P. PRATT has bought for \$13,100 the handsome new residence on Brook and College streets, lately built by W. H. Ray, Esq.

BONFIERS were started by the boys last night, but the high wind rendered such a party very dangerous and caused a sudden cessation of the sport.

The Police Commissioners will not meet to-morrow as has been supposed by many. The date when they will elect the new force has not yet been settled.

THE MR. WOODRUFF, who won a game in the blindfold contest with Dr. Zukertort last Valley, he was a well-known merchant of Pewee Creek Club from 1855 to 1883. It was regarded as one of the strongest players in the State.

MR. PAT CODY, Market-master of the Boone market-house, was presented with an elegant gold-headed cane by the butchers and gardeners of that place yesterday. The idea of the presentation had been kept a secret by Mr. Cody, and it opened the new year with a most pleasant surprise.

SHAW & ALDRIGHT, the foot and shoe manufacturers, gave a New Year's dinner to the employees of their factory on Twenty-second and Main streets, yesterday. The dinner was given in the factory, and was attended by a number of invited guests, and about seventy-five in all being present. It was a treat to the workers, and a most agreeable afternoon was spent.

YESTERDAY while some of the street-cleaning brigades were working at the corner of Twelfth and Jefferson, a fire was started by a boy, and it spread rapidly. It looked like a bundle tied in an old shirt, and they fished it out. When it was opened, however, the body of a fustian, it was conveyed to Twelfth-street station, where it was burned.

CONDUCTOR AND A PASSENGER MAUL EACH OTHER Until Arrested by a Policeman.
A lively fight took place last night on a Main and Preston street-car, near Sixteenth and Main streets. The combatants were a passenger named Pat Monahan, Scotch-Irish, and the latter refused to pay his fare, and Monahan became very angry when they attempted to put him off, when they all over the car, while the driver stood by and watched the fight. The fight was a platform view of the situation. They were nearly frightened on the car, and it was a very lively fight. The fight was a platform view of the situation. They were nearly frightened on the car, and it was a very lively fight.

THE BOARD OF TRADE election in the general holiday yesterday, but Mr. Eli H. Brown was interested enough to nominate Mr. Geo. Lamington, a real estate agent, for director, and it is probable that the few more will be elected after this date. The feeling over the matter how it turns out some people will be badly disappointed.

THE "MONON" MISHAP.

Expert Railroad Men Examine the Blue-river Bridge and Testify Before the Coroner's Jury.

THE ACCIDENT UNAVOIDABLE.

The Coroner of Washington county has been investigating the cause of the recent accident at the Blue-river bridge, near Salem, Ind.

Col. deFunak, Mr. G. Bouscaren, of the Cincinnati Southern, and Mr. J. H. Pearson, Engineer of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago railway, were examined before the Coroner's jury. Their testimony will be found below. From this it appears that the accident at Blue river was clearly or providential—one that no human skill or foresight could have prevented. It was certainly one of those misfortunes which comes within the provisions of what the lawyers know as the act of God.

From the testimony of these experts it appears that the bridge was a great deal stronger than was usual or even necessary; that there had been no settling of any part of it; that the enormous rise of Blue river (which rose five feet above the highest water-mark) in some way undermined the two piers of the bridge, and that the jar caused by the passage of the engine precipitated their fall, thus bringing the bridge down.

The testimony of Messrs. deFunak, Bouscaren and Pearson is full and complete, and is a full exoneration of the company from any responsibility for the disaster.

F. DE FUNAK'S TESTIMONY.

F. de Funak being duly sworn testified as follows:
My name is Frederick de Funak; age forty-three years; reside in Louisville, Ky. My occupation is that of a civil engineer. I have been in the profession of civil engineering since 1855. I was first Assistant Engineer of the Louisville and Nashville Central railroad. After that I built several railroads in the South and West, and am now Superintendent of the Louisville and Nashville railroad.

Most of my professional career in this country I was occupied in building, repairing and maintaining bridges, and I have had considerable experience in the construction of bridges and other railway structures.

At the time of the accident at Blue river, I was acting as Superintendent of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, and I was in charge of the bridge at Blue river.

At the time of the accident, I was in the city of Louisville, and I did not see the bridge at Blue river until after the accident.

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ZAPP DEAD.

The Man Shot by Charles Brown Monday Afternoon, Lingering Until Tuesday Morning, When Death Ensnared.

HIS DYING STATEMENT.

Jacob Zapp, who was mortally wounded at his restaurant at Fourteenth and Main streets, Monday afternoon, by Charles Brown, died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock.

Although he suffered terribly he bore up under it very well, and was at no time unconscious. He was very cool and deliberate about everything, and he recognized the fact from the first that he could not get well. Shortly after the shooting occurred he directed that his dying statement be drawn up, and he signed it and swore to it. It is as follows:

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 31.—Two men came into my place and asked for their meals and paid for them. While at the table they began to quarrel, and the man who was shot by Charles Brown, who was the proprietor of the place, went out of the place and called a policeman.

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